

CONDITIONS IN HAWAII

Some Local Views as Heard Away From Home.

The Tacoma Ledger says: Frank N. McCandless, a prominent insurance man of this city, and formerly a resident of Honolulu, has received an interesting letter from his brother, James S. McCandless, a well known sugar planter on the islands. He writes under a late date concerning the sugar prospects for the coming year. According to his communication sugar will not be as plentiful this season as last.

The Hawaiian Islands, which produce about one-half of the sugar supply of the world, have suffered a drouth that has impaired the output of the sugar cane. Another demoralizing factor has been the leaf-hopper, an insect which strips the cane of its leaves and causes it to decay. This bug, which sometimes, Mr. McCandless writes, devastates entire fields of sugar cane, is sweeping over the country, leaving behind large tracts of demolished cane. A counteracting influence, however, has lately been found according to Mr. McCandless, in the shape of a large ant which kills off the hopper in a remarkably short time. Experiments have been made and it is planned to use this bug to rid the country of the other and thus save the sugar cane. It is stated that sugar prices this year will be higher than for fifteen years.

WINTER AN UNUSUAL ONE.

The winter, Mr. McCandless writes, has been an unusual one for that semi-tropical land inasmuch as it has been exceedingly cold with the temperature lower than has been heretofore recorded. It has also been a remarkably dry season, which is always dreaded in the islands.

Frank McCandless has also heard from his brother through R. Lee Barnes, formerly of this city, now in the hay and grain business at Honolulu. He lately returned from the islands to make arrangements for shipping a big cargo of hay to be used there, which he intends to obtain at Ellensburg. That town, it is intimated, will be made a sort of a center for receiving hay supplies and regular consignments will be forwarded from there to the seaboard and thence to Honolulu.

Through his brother, Frank McCandless has also been put in possession

sion of some new and valuable statistics relating to steamers bound for Vladivostok with contraband of war, which were seized by the Japanese during the first month of this year. Most of them are English and German vessels.

EIGHT STEAMERS HAVE BEEN SEIZED.

Following is the list, with the insurance on the hull and on the cargo:

Steamer	Hull	Cargo
Rosely	£40,000	£20,000
Lethington	40,000	25,000
Wilhelmina	40,000	33,000
Bawtry	18,000	60,000
Oakley	40,000	30,000
Burma	25,000	19,000
M. S. Dollar	30,000	70,000
Wyeheid	42,000	55,000

HALEIWA.

The Haleiwa Hotel, Honolulu's famous country resort, on the line of the Oahu Railway, contains every modern improvement and affords its guests an opportunity to enjoy all amusements—golf, tennis, billiards, fresh and salt water bathing, shooting, fishing, riding and driving. Tickets, including railway fare and one full day's room and board, are sold at the Honolulu station and Trent & Company for \$5.00. For departure of trains consult time table.

On Sundays, the Haleiwa Limited, a two-hour train, leaves at 8:22 a. m.; returning, arrives i. Honolulu at 10:10 p. m.

How Young Women May Get Ahead in the World

If a woman would live in ease and affluence there is nothing more conducive to the realization of this state than earning money, especially earning a lot of it. It is a pleasant and profitable occupation and can be followed by any one who is able. It is, by all odds, the simplest and pleasantest means of existence for the woman who is dependent upon her own exertions. No besitation should be felt about adopting such a career, as the highest authorities agree that it is perfectly honorable and that those who do adopt it are entitled to earn as much as they can.

MARRYING A RICH MAN.

The young woman who decides to adopt the profession of rich man's wife, and whose decision is not overruled by another courtship, will doubtless be surprised to find how congenial it is, and cannot but express astonishment that more do not follow it. I advise all my young friends to try it. Some work is required, but in the end it will be found to pay much better than typewriting.

BEING LEFT A FORTUNE.

Those who intend to pursue this career must have special qualifications. First they must have relatives or

friends of influence and wealth who will be willing to assist them in the realization of their ambition. Second, they must be able to get along without the assistance of a lawyer. Third, they must acquire the faculty of living longer than the persons who have the money. Thus while there are many fascinations and unexpected surprises in the business, some self-denial is necessary, and self-restraint must also be exercised as there are people in this world who are so selfish as to be angry when a person tries to inherit their money before they are through with it.

HAVING A BANK ACCOUNT.

Do not be anxious lest you begin this genial occupation too young. If you intend to make it a life work and perfect yourself in the intricacies of its art, begin very young and conduct your occupations on a large scale. It pays better. I know people who are engaged in this, and they uniformly report that they are well pleased and that they would have no objections to even more work in their chosen field.

POSSESSING REAL ESTATE.

One hint will be of the utmost value, and we give it lavishly and without price: Select real estate in the most valuable portion of the largest cities, preferably New York, Philadelphia,



STAGE STRUCK.

—Collier's.

MINE ON FIRE SINCE 1857.

President Lewis A. Riley of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, in his annual report, says that one of the company's mines near Tamaqua has been on fire for forty-seven years. Regarding the efforts now made to quench these subterranean fires the report says:

"A portion of the outcrop of the Mammoth vein in this locality has been on fire since 1857, the fire being confined by the water filling the workings below water level and cut-offs on the outcrop. Before opening the colliery below water level it is necessary either

to extinguish the fire or get it under control. During the past year efforts have been made with this end in view which have met with a large measure of success. A boiler plant and pumping machinery have been erected on the bank of the Little Schuylkill River at Tamaqua for the purpose of pumping water to the level of the outcrop. A branch of the Panther Creek Railroad has been extended nearly two miles to reach the outcrop, and more holes have been put down at various places where there were indications of fire. The fire is being extinguished by washing fine coal dirt through boreholes on the fire and filling up the vacant spaces so as to cut off the air supply."—Fuel.

HIS IDEA OF GEMS.

In a schoolroom the first primary grade was listening to the teacher reading a description of Columbus's first voyage to America. The history was written in words of one syllable.

The teacher reads: "Queen Isabella sold her gems to help Columbus." "Now children," she said, "who can tell me what gems are?"

Instantly Robert sprang to his feet, his hands waving frantically and his eyes flashing.

"Well, Robert," she said. "Biscuits!" yelled Robert.—Boston Herald.

APRIL

CORRECT DRESS CHART

1905

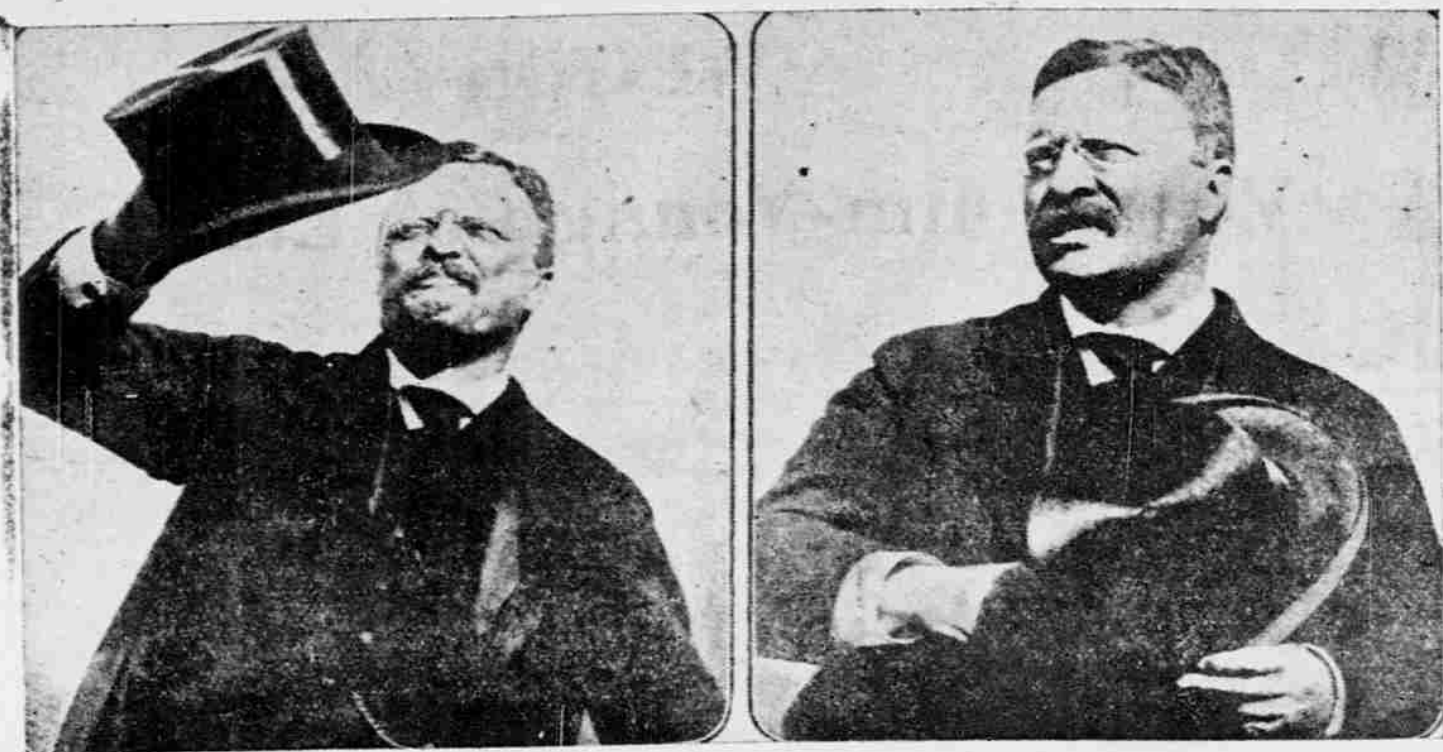
DAY DRESS.

Occasion	Coat and Overcoat	Waistcoat	Trousers	Hat	Shirt and Cuffs	Collar	Cravat	Gloves	Boots	Jewelry
Day Wedding	Frock — Chesterfield Overcoat	Double or Single Breasted Same Material as Coat or of White Linen Duck	Striped Worsted or Cheviot of Dark Grey	High Silk With Felt Band	Plain White with Cuffs Attached	Poke or Wing	White, or Pearl Ascot or Once-over	Gray Suede	Patent Leather or Varnished Calfskin Button Tops	Gold Links Gold Studs and Cravat Pin
Afternoon Calls, Receptions and Matinee	Jacket, Cut-away or Morning coat	To Match Coat or of Different Material	If with S. B. Coat, to match If with D. B. Coat, of same or Different Material	Derby with Jacket	Colored or White with Cuffs Attached	Fold, or Wing	Four-in-hand, Ascot, Once-over or Tie	Tan Cape or Gray Reindeer	Laced Calf High or Low	Gold Studs Gold Links
Business and Morning Wear	Covert or Chesterfield Overcoat									
Wheeling, Golf, Outing	Norfolk or Double Breasted Jacket	Knitted or Fancy Plaid	Tweed or Flannel	Alpine, Tam or Golf Cap	Flannel Madras or Oxford	Fold, or Deep Point	Kerchief Tie or Knotted Handkerchief	Tan Cape Chamols or Knit	Laced Calf or Russet High or Low	Links and Cravat pin Watch Albert
Afternoon Tea, Show Church and Promenade	Frock or Cutaway Chesterfield Overcoat	Same Material as Coat or of White Linen Duck	Striped Worsted Light or Dark	High Silk With Felt Band	Plain White With Cuffs Attached	Poke or Wing	Ascot, Once-over or Four-in-Hand	Gray Suede	Patent or Varnished Calfskin Leather Tops Button	Gold Studs Gold Links Cravat Pin

EVENING DRESS.

Occasion	Coat and Overcoat	Waistcoat	Trousers	Hat	Shirt and Cuffs	Collar	Cravat	Gloves	Boots	Jewelry
Evening Weddings, Balls, Receptions, Formal Dinner and Theater	Swallowtail Skirted or Chesterfield Overcoat	White Double or Single Breasted or Black Single Breasted	Same Material as Coat With Braided Outer Seams	High Silk with Felt Band Silk or Opera at Theater	Plain White with Cuffs Attached	Lap-Front or Poke	Broad End White Tie	White Glace or Pearl	Patent Leather or Varnished Calfskin Tops Button or Patent Leather Pumps	Pearl Links Pearl Studs
Informal Dinner, Club, Stag and At Home Dinner	Jacket Black or Grey Chesterfield Overcoat	Pearl Single Breasted or Same Material as Jacket	Same Material as Jacket With Plain Outer Seams	Black Derby	Plain or Pleated White with Cuffs Attached	Wing or Fold	Broad End Black Silk Tie	Gray Suede	Patent Leather or Varnished Calfskin Button Tops or Patent Leather Ties	Gold Studs and Links

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